UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Walter Simpson

v.

Civil No. 13-cv-342-JD

<u>Hillsborough County Department</u> of Corrections, Superintendent

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

The plaintiff, an inmate at Hillsborough County Department of Corrections ("Institution"), has filed a motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* in the above-captioned case and an Inmate Account Statement signed by an authorized individual from the Institution. The statement evidences that the inmate's current balance is \$0.01. Plaintiff has also submitted a signed consent form indicating consent to permit inmate accounts to make court-ordered payments on his behalf.

The motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* is GRANTED. While 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b)(1) requires the court assess an initial filing fee, given the plaintiff's current balance there shall be no initial filing fee assessed. In addition, monthly payments of 20% of each preceding month's income credited to the plaintiff's account shall be remitted by the Institution when the amount in the account exceeds \$10.00 until the sum of \$350.00 has been paid. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b)(2).

The monthly payments as outlined above shall be forwarded to the Clerk of Court by the Institution in accordance with this Order. A copy of this Order, along with a copy of the signed

Prisoner Consent Form (doc. no. 3), shall be forwarded by the Court to the Institutions inmate account department.

SO ORDERED.

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United States Magistrate Judge

Dated: August 8, 2013

cc: Walter Simpson, pro se

Hillsborough County Department of Corrections, Inmate Accounts